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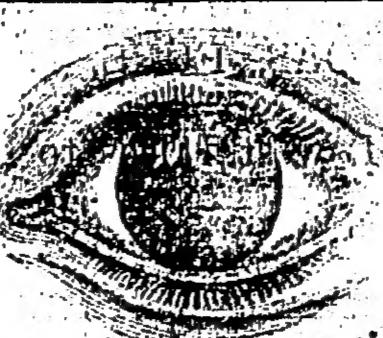
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is a thoroughbred Chinese dog with an un aint ed pedigree a thousand years old. Chow Chow is the Christmas gift of the Dowager I mpress of China to her Majesty, Queen Alex indra, the spouse of King Edwar

He arrived here yesterday in charge of Capt Hamer, of the Indian army, who crossed the Pacific on the Empress liner. Capt, Hamei was especially commissioned by the British Ambassador to: China to see that the dog was delivered in person at the Royal kennels a Sandringham, one of the King's country residences.

The noble canine-for such he isbelongs to the Chow Chow class dogs, whose breeding is restricted to royalty and the mandarins. To obtain a perfect specimen the all-powerful Dowager sent her commands all over the empire. Of a hundred of the breed collected was the one which is now in Vancouver, because he was considered by experts to possess the highest points, Chow Chow occupies the finest quarters in the baggage room of the botel. . He seems to have a sense of his innate superiority and disdain-

fully sniffs the air at the approach of visitors. The dog was obtained in a remote province on the borders of Thibet. This means promotion and smoluments to the lucky governor. Chow Chow is only 14 months old, He has characteristics which will make him famous it England. In appearance he is not unlike small-sized "husky" dog. His hair is of a fox red with a mane just beginning to grow, but which at maturity will be quite leonine.

But his greatest peculiarity is his tongue. is of a coat black colour, the under surface being a deep purple. The markings of hi tongue tell the story of his regal pedigree likewise the white hair on his under jaw an throat. Dogs of this type are famous for the fighting qualities, Captain Hamer says they make mincement of a prize builded or bu terrier, but he does not intend to make any experiments.

Chow Chow made a great d sturbance after landing at the wharf yesterday. He e-pied two curs, and before the porter realistd what had happened the Chinese dog dragged him ten feet before nipping the other dogs, which yelpingly took to their heels. Captain Hamer restored order.

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The medical institutions were, interested as a result of the activity of the Chicago Tuberculosis Institute.

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The REGISTER OF SHARES of the Com pany will be CLOSED from TUESDAY, the (both days inclusive), during which period no transfer of shares can be registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors, MOWBRAY'S. NORTHCOTE,

Hongkong, 14th January, 1908.

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By Order of the Board of Directors, A. SHELTON HOOPER, Secretary to the Hongkong Land Investment and Agency Co., Ld., Ceneral Agents for the West Point Build-

Hongkong, toth January, 1908.

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By Order of the Board of Directors, A. SHELTON HOOPER,

Secretary. Hongkong, 10th January, 1908.

THE CHINA PROVIDENT LOAN AND MORTGAGE COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE ELEVENTH ORDINARY AN. NUAL MEETING OF SHARE-HOLDERS in the Company will be held at the OFFICES of the Company, St. George's Building, No. 6, Connaught Road, on WED NESDAY, 29th January, 1908, at 11.30 A.M., fo the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts and the Report of the General Managers for the year ending 31st December, 1907, declaring a Dividend and electing a Consulting Committee and Auditors.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from SATURDAY, the 25th January, until WEDNESDAY, the 29th January, 1908, both days inclusive. SHEWAN, TOMES & Co.,

General Managers. Hongkong, 16th January, 1908.

NOTICE.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE HONGKONG BENEVOLENT SU-CIETY will be held at the City, Hall, on THURSDAY, January 30th, at 5.30 P.M. Hongkong, 20th January, 1928.

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THE CANTON MEDICAL MIS. SIONARY SOCIETY.

THE SIXTY-WINTH ANNUAL MEETING.

The aixty-ninth aunual general meeting of the Canton Medical Missionary Socialy was held at Canton in the Club Theatre, Shameen, on Thursday, the roth January, 1908.

There were present : Rev R. H. Graves, M.D., D.D., president (in the chair), Rev E. Z. Simmons, D.D., Dr R. C. Davesport, Dr J. Webb Anderson, Messis, T. D. Moothead, J. Stirling, C. S. Paget, Rev R. E. Chambers, Rev W. Dawson and about 45 members of the

After the notice convening the meeting had been read the Rev Dr Greene opened the meeting with prayer.

The minutes of the last special meeting were

read and approved.

REPORT OF THE MANAGING COMMITTER. The following report was presented by Dr Davesport, the secretary of the managing committee:-Your committee is glad to report that [144] the general working of the Hospital has been carried on to their satisfaction. The difficulties which bave been met have been overcome, and some progress has been made. It notes with pleasure the increase among the women patients for the year, for 700 women have been registered as being in residence. This the largest number yet reported in one year. In spite of the many changes in the teaching staff of the College, and the unfortunate breakdown in health of Dr. Anton Anderson and his enforced retirement from the staff, the work of the medical school has gone on without serious interruption. On the whole the students have. worked with commandable diligence. It would be to the advantage of the school if permanent residences for students could be provided on the Society's ground. Visits of inspection have been made during the year, and buildings and grounds generally have been found in good order. It was noted, however, that the women's ward, the oldest building on the premises, was giving at one end and that the roof was unsafe.

Your Committee was forced by these conditions to take immediate action, and after due and careful consideration decided to strengthen the walls, add a sorely needed third storey, and re-roof the entire building. This work is now well in hand, and is being well done. This has meant a sudden, heavy demand on the Society's funds, but it is carnestly hoped that friends will, not allow the Society to be hampered in its valuable work by any scarcity of funds. During the past year theimperfections of the Society's Constitution, owing largely to the dual control of the foreign members of the staff, were emphasised, and it was deemed necessary to call' a special general meeting which was held on October 24th, to carry into effect the revised Constitution, and consequently overcome many difficulties and place the institution on a more

atable basis under the control of the managing committee of the Society. An opportunity to (permanently engage the services of Mrs.) ings as head nurse at the hospital has been been made by which Mrs. Ings will be coninteted with the hospital. Doctors Todd and Boyd have been withdrawn from the hospital

byterian Mission.

HOSPITAL REPORT. The annual report for the hospital was laid on the table by Dr. Swan, who read the following "abstract of its contents :- The work of the hospital, which has been a large factor in impressing on the Chinese the character of Western beneficence and Christianity, has been continued without interruption the past year. Foreign medical work is undoubtedly still opening the way for a better understanding between the Chinese and the outer world, and the methods of western surgery are becoming increasingly popular. The attendance of patients has been large, notwithstanding many new

physicians. The following total statistics are taken from the hospital records :--Out-patients (visits). Ic-patients. Surgical operations

· .: 612 Women 7,826, 1,033 The extraction of teeth and opening of small

abcesses have not been included in the numberof surgical operations given as above. The latter part of the year it was found that one of the main hospital buildings required immediate and extensive repairs, including a new roof. It has stood for forty years without large additions or repairs. The managing committee authorised the work, including enlargement, being carried out at once, and this is being efficiently done under the supervision of in Life. Messrs. Purnell and Paget, architects. The building when complete will accommedate forty-four more beds than it formerly held. Mrs. J. lngs has been added to the hospital staff and is at the head of the nursing department. She has, by her skilful work, contributed largely to the success of important surgical operations, and is a most valuable addition to our working force.

On the motion of Mr. Stanton, seconded by Dr. Simons, the report as read was adopted .-Contributed.

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total in the former year as against 41 in/the

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Kingdom was 17 and 16 per cent. respective-

ly. Referring to the trade which has grown

up in consequence of the operations of

the Siberian railway, it is noted that

cheap, ready-made, European-style clothing

has any chance of appropriating a share

seem to suggest that the Consul holds th

of the fact that " Kobe is destined to be the

leading port on the Pacific." In any event

the merchants of Kobe, both foreign and

native, may be congratulated on the result

of their exertions to build up the trade of

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

THE French Press expresses the opinion that

MR. Cortelyou, Secretary of the U.S. Treasury.

denies the report that he has accepted the

presidency of the Knickerbocker Trust Com-

IAPANESE merchants at Tairen have resolved

to establish a Chamber of Commerce. The

reconstruction of the Seoul-Wiju Railway is

nearing completion and the line will be open

to freight and passenger traffic under civil

THE last of the vessels attached to the West

River Flotilla are returning to port, H.M. sloop

Clio came down from Canton yesterday and

was followed later in the evening by t.p b. Q. 36;

The sloop Cadmus and the gunboat Robin are

IT is reported from Peking that the Peiyang

authorities intended to issue bonds for a

domestic loan of Tis. 4,800,000, and that the

Tientsin Territorial Taotai will be appointed to

undertake the matter. Nothing is said as it

In response to a talegraphic dispatch from

the Chinese Charge d'Affaires in Washington

asking for the stoppage of the emigration of

Chinese (Cantonese) labourers into Brazil,

the Waiwupu has instructed Viceroy Chang

Jen-chun of Canton to take steps to prevent

of \$500, and also with attempting to defeat the

THE annual report of the Hongkong-Land In-

management from April t.

the only two now left at Canton.

labourers from going abroad,

this morning.

the post and, if all predictions come true,

is to be hoped that they will be the first.

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On January 17, 1908, at Shanghai, Dr

The Hongkong Celegraph

HONGKONG, WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 22, 19

opinion that Osaka is likely to provide al that is required by the moujiks for some Few who have not been watching the years to come. The point of the report. growth of Kobe as a shipping centre are likehowever, is the probability of Kobe's prely to realise the progress that port has been dominance as the leading Japanese port on making within the past few years. Mr the Pacific-although that is not how the Consul Bonar's report on the trade of Kobe Consul puts it, Mr. Bonar simply speaking

THE LEAUING PACIFIC PORT. and district, which includes Osaka and seven other special open ports, in 1906 furnishes a very clear conception of what may, be expected of Kobe in the future, provided she advances as a port at the same rate as that which has attended her trade during the present decade. In fact the Consul holds that the Japanese Government and the Japanese commercial world have excellent grounds for believing that Kobe is destined to become the leading port of the Pacific. In support of this view the writer remarks that the foreign trade of the district amounted in 1905 to 48 per cent. of the total, or £40,636,863 out of £65,000,000 for the whole of Japan. But for purposes o comparison it may not be out of place to consider what its position is in relation to the foreign trade of other countries. Taking the year 1905 (the last available returns), when the trade in China had exceeded that of any previous year, being £101,500,000, the tride of the Kobe Con sular district for the same period was over £,40,000,000, being thus equal to two-fifths of that of the whole of China. The ports Kobe and Osaka combined have in fact larger foreign trade than all the treaty ports of China combined, Shanghai excepted. I imports and exports from and to the Un ited Kingdom alone, the trade of Kobe and \$16.50 Osaka combined was equivalent in 1905 to 27 per cent. of the United Kingdom's import and export trade with the Empire of China But it is in the shipping returns that the report affords the most noteworthy indication | the application of the proposed loan. of the development that is being made by the go-ahead port in the North. In the expansion directly resulting from the war, and these columns, began at the Criminal Sessions caused by the purchase and capture of ships. The increase in Japanese shipping accoun for the decrease in shipping under the British

year under review 2,768 vessels entered, the tonnage being 5,528,135, and that did not include the coastwise trade. The most striking feature was the increase in Japanese vessels and tonnage, which totalled 3,020 THE trial of the four men, who are charged vessels of 3,874,234 tons, or practically 30 per cent, of the total tonnage. The increase, with conspiring to defraud the Fo Sang Bank in a great measure, was due to the resumption by Japanese vessels of trade routes abandoned during the war, and, to a certain extent, to an

vestment and Agency Co., Ld., for 907, has German, and Norwegian flags experienced been issued. The net profits for last year, including \$56,218.38 balance blought forward in the year under review, Japanese vessels from last account, after paying all charges, replacing those of the countries which had amount to \$420,04 43. From this amount an supplied vessels to take the place of the interim dividend of \$3.50 per share has afready Japanese ships temporarily withdrawn. But, been paid. It is now proposed to pay a final after allowing for tonnage; so replaced, dividend of \$3.50 per share, and after writing there is still an increase in Japanese off directors' and auditor's fees there remains : shipping of "some 650,000 tons in 1006 balance of \$36,915.47 to be carried forward to the credit of a new profit and loss account.

over 1903, the year before the war. The Consul rightly refuses to accept the comparison of the trade in 1906 with that of 1904.5 as a true criterion of the position, holding the latter to cover an abnormal period. As might have been expected. Japanese shipping has increased in far The Port Arthur Trial in Russia. greater proportion since 1903 than that un-

17 per cent.; Germany has added 175,000

tons, or 40, per cent.; Norway, 15,771 tons,

or nearly 28 per cent.; France, 70,442 tons

or 56 per cent.; and the United States,

338,379 tons, or 104 per cent,, since the

same year. The table tends to remove the

unsatisfactory impression which at a first

glance one obtains of the position of British

shipping as recorded in the consular returns.

which shows a marked decline during the

last three years; 634 ships of 1,768,542 tons

were enfered in 1906 as compared with 922

ships of 2,293,733 tons entered in 1905, the

figures for the former year being also less

than those for 1904. Judging, however,

from the customs returns, it is satisfactory

to note that there, was in reality an increase

practically the same average in roof as in attention.

. London, 20th January. At the Port Arthur trial, there were marked der foreign flags. Nevertheless, says the Consul, it is satisfactory to observe that bitter recriminations between General Stocs-British shipping shows an increase of over sell and Smirnoff, 250,000 tons on 1,455,000 tons in 1903, or

Celegrams.

Kexter's.

The latter declared that General Stoesself did not participate in the fighting of the deal fence, but merely issued lyrical orders an nouncing decorations, also that he usurp General Smirnoff's position in regard to 3 order to capitulate.

Lord Curzon: 437 Lord Curzon has been elected and

arrived in London.

The Truiss of the United Stat's Battleships.

The police in Rio de Janeiro have discovered a plot by anarchists to destroy a portion of the United States squadron.

from 1,454,843 tons in 1903 to 1,709,957, tons in 1906, after reaching 1,807,711 tons The Times on Chine and Thom in 1905. Thus while the employment of The Times, discussing the differences be British tonnage, so far as Kobe is concerned. tween China and Japan, emphasizes the asshowed less activity in 1906, actual trade by tuteness of the former in inducing others to means of British ships seems to have in pick the chestnuts out of the fire; China creased. It would be futile, however, to would have no standing whatever, in Many ignore the extent to which Japanese ship churis, but for the efforts of Japane illn a ping has "cut in" and is preparing like manner China lost all standing in Titlet to oust foreign shipping. Mr. Bonar's until the British expedition, and is riduremark regarding the "cutting in " pro- making difficulties because the ir not treated pensities of the Japanese shipping com- with a deference to which she was never panies cannot be ignored although, of entitled. More respect for the achievements course, it is possible to make too much of others in her interests, and a more careful of them. The British share of the imports observance of her own engagements would. a Rate and exports at Kobs continued to show make China's complaints more worthy of

HONGKONG DOCKS.

AWARDED NEW CONTRACT.

TO PORTUGUESE COVERNMENT.

For some time past our columns have contalood, at rogular intervals, the exclusive tanhouncement of awards secured by the Hongkong and Whampoa Deck Co., Ltd., for the construction of new vessels for private firms. More recently we reported the negotiations with Admiral Li Chun for the building of a fow light-draft cruisers for the West River Patrol Service, and we are to-day in a position to state authoritatively and definitely that Mr. Robt. Mitchell, the chief manager of the Dock Co., has brought to a successful issue the negotiations for a stram-tender for he Portuguese Government.

For some time past correspondence had been carried on between the Duck Co. and the Portuguese Consulate General in Hongkong in reference to an inquiry by the Timor Government at Dilly for a steam-tender to replace the old-Dilly bui't at the Kowloon shippard miny years, ago."A tender was submitted which ha I to be reforred in the home Government in Lisbon. Approval of the specifications has now been received by Conselbeiro A. G. Romano, Portuguesa Consul-General, And we understand that the contract for the building of a new Dilly has been awarded to the Hongkong Dock Co. he vessel is to be of the following dimensions :- Length, 112 ft. between perpendiculars; ext emo bread h 18 ft. 6 in., and depth Japan has over-reached heiself in her desire, of hold oft. She will be built of teak. The contract price is about \$30,000. Mr. J. Leiris, Vice-Consul, proceeds to Macao tomorrow to confer with the harbour-master there, Capt, Dingo de Sa, as to certain details of the specification. On his leturn it is expected that an early start will be made with the building of the tender.

With the order from the American Government now completing at Hunghom, and the award of this new contract by the Portuguese, besides the prospective cruisers for the Provindial authorities at Canton, it cannot be said that the Hongkong Dack Co. does not enjoy a fair where of patronage from the foreign Governme ts. All the more credit to one o the leading industries of the Colony,

> WEST RIVIER FAIROIS CHINESE ARRANGEMENTS.

Wuchow, 10th January, 1908. Admiral Li Chun-has-now-completed his arr, ngements, for 'he "effective" patrol of the West River, and the various reaches between Wuchow, and Samshui have been divided into sections, with one gunboat and a number of guardboats to each-section. It remains to be seen how the new regime will work. Local opinion is pessimistic.

THE HONGKONG LAND RECEAMATION COMPANY, LTD.

ANNUAL PEPORT. The sight report of the Board of Directors to the ordinary meeting of shareholders to be course of law in conspiring to ecure a judgment | faeld at the company's offices, Victoria Buildat the Supreme Court for themselves, against lings, at 11:15 a.m., on Tuesday, the 28th inst., the Po Sang Bank, as previously reported in freads;

Gentlemen,-The directors have now to submit to you a general statement of the affiles of the company, and balance sheet for the year ending utst December, 1907.

The net profits for the year, including \$349,841.05 brought forward from last account after paying all charges amount to \$158, 35.99 is now proposed to pay a dividend of 7% the paid up capital after providing for which writing off directors' and auditor's feet there remains a balance of \$287,417.99 to be carried; to credit of a new profit and loss

Mr. D. M. Nissim having resigned, Mr. E. Shellim was invited to join the Board and this appointment now requires confirmation. - Mesers E. Shellim and Ho Tuog now retire, but offer themselves for re-election. AUDITORS,

The accounts have been audited by Messr W. H. Potts and A. O'D. Gourdin, who now retire, and are recommended for-election. HENRY KESWICK,

Hongkong, 14th January, 1908. BALANCE SHEET TO SIST DECIMBER, '907

Liabilities.: . : December 31, 1907.

Capital-25,0:0 shares at \$100 eacl =\$2,500,000, of which are issued 12,500 shares at Stoo eacl = \$1,750,000, \$75 per share paid up \$937,5 0.00 oans payable 900, IDO.CO Balance of prefit and loss a/c..... 358,135 9 en mil get Mente. 1, 10 December 31, 1907.

PROVIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT. December 31st, '907.

To Charges account 7,5'0.67 Repairs to properly Crown rent account -----Government rates account Pire insutance account Balance to be appropriated as foi-Directors fees \$ 5,000.00 Dividend of 7% for her of the state

falanceto becamied enary 1st to December 31st, 1907. MACAO'S BOUNDARIES

AGITATION BY HEUNGBHAN

MILITARY DEMONSTRATION PROPOSED. A [From Our Own Correspondent.]

Canton, arst January, 1908. The agitation over the question of the alleg ed Portuguese interference with and encroach ment on the Chinese territory at Wantsain the neighbouthood of Macao, is still being con tinued here and in the various parts of the province, owing to the action of the gentry of th district of Heungshan in endeavouring to device means to have Wantsai converted into a tra centre. The gentry have sent out circulars that effect. The circulars contain some resolu tions to be brought up for discussion and adoption, which are as follows: (1) That a Self-Government Association be initiated in Heungshan to discuss the best possible measures to be taken to said the officials in securing the restoration of Wantsai. (2) That territory of Wantsai is to be reclaimed under Chinese official protection and that it be converted into a trade cen re on the same principles as the new mart of Kung Yik Fou, follows:-During the year 907, 645 boys apiin the district of unning. (3) That a regiment pied for admission, of whom 396 sectifed of three, hundred troops be stationed in the seats. On the other hand 317 boys left in the various places in the territory for protection course of the year. The total attendance for purposes. (4) That a Government gunboat the year was 1,401. In the former half of the be detached and stationed permanently in that year, the total attendances were reduced owing vicinity for service. (5) That the Telegraph, to two causes, vis, the premature attempt to Administration be requested to install a direct telegraph line between the city of Canton and Chipshap and to open a station in Wantsak for

UNREST AT NANNING

the convenience of the commercial community

there, (6) That the Government be requested

to depute a high official asteron as possible.

to conduct negotiations with the Portuguese

Government of Macao and have the boundary

out and to have the territorial rights of the

r yer restored to the Chimese.

line of the Portuguese colony definitely marked

Wuchow, goth January.

News to hand from Nanning give particulars of the present unrest, in that district. It, appears that the rebals are becoming bolder and with the increased recruits that they have been wetting lately, and owing to their rainforced numbers, are becoming more turbulent. H the Governor of Kwaogsi has applied for more troops from the North, but his request, it, is said, has been refused on the ground that "Nameing was too far away and would be bad for the health of the northern troops." A de tachment of Wuchow troops is, however, being sent on to Nanning as soon as transport accommodation can be arranged. In view of the present low water this may take some considerable time.

THE WRST POINT BUILDING COMPANY, LIMITED.

ANNUAL REPORT. Following is the pineteenth report of the general agents to the ordinary menting of shareholders to be held at the company

offices, Vicinity Buildings, at 11.30 o'clock a m on Tuesday, the 18th Inst.: -Gentlemen .- The general agents now mit to you a statement of the affairs of the company, and balance sheet for the year

ending 31st December, 1907. The net profits for the year, including the amount brought forward from the previous year, amount to \$53,341,31. From this amount an interim dividend of \$2.00 per share has already; been paid, and after writing directors and auditor's fees, it is now proposed making a total dividend for the twelve, months of \$4.10 per share, and to carry forward the balance of \$1,541.3 to credit of a new profit

and loss account. Fon. Mr. W. J. Gresson, having retired, Hop. H. Keswick has been appointed in his stead, and this appointment now requires con-

Hon. Sir. Paul Chater, and Mr. A. G., Wood retire by rotation, but offer themselves for

The accounts have been audited by Mr. C. W. May, who offers himself for re-election.

A. SHELTON HOOPER, Secretary to the Hongkong-Land Investment and Agency Co., Ld., General Agents for the West Point Building

Hougkong, 14th January, 19.8. BALANCE SHEET TO 31ST DECEMBER, 1907. Dec. 31st, 1907.

Capital\$625,000.co Accounts payable Balance of profit and lois account \$53.341.31 Less interim dividend

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"PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT." and the man Dr. som My December 31, 1907. To Fire insurance, L'Charges , marrier, ere erenenererere Repairs to buildings Commission to agents Interim dividend of \$2.00 for Balance to be appropriated as

Dividend of \$2.10 per share 26,250.00 Balance-to be carried to you determined DEW.B.C. errareitenteren: J.541/31/hr

January 1, 1907. y Balance brought forward December 37, 1907. Interesting formation of the contractor

QUBBA'S COLLAGE. ANNUAL PRIZE DISTRIBUTION

The spacious hall of Queen's College—that premier seat of learning in the Colony-was crowded to-day on the occasion of the presentation of prizes to the successful scholars by his Excellency Sir. Frederick Lugard, who was accompanied by ber Ladyship and Mr. A J. Brackenbury, private secretary. Among those present were :- Commodore

and Mrs. Stokes, Hon. Mr. E. A., Hewett, Mr Ho Kom Tong, Mr. Choa Leep Chee, Mr. B. I C. Wolfe, Inspector of Schools, Bishop Lander, Archdeacon Bannister, Mr. A. G. Romano Consul-General for Portugal, and Mr. J. Lairis, Vice-consul, Rev. and Mrs. Pearce, Rev Mr. F. T. Johnson, Rev. Mr. C. H. Hickling, Mr. G. Piercy, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Browne, Brother Sylvester, Mrs. and Miss Shelton Hooper, Mrs. Baleson Wright, Mr. G. P. Lammert, Mr. and Mrs. Young Hee, Miss Harker, Mrs. Chatham, Mr. and Mrs. Mooney, Mr. T. K. Pealy, Mr. R. Ralphs, Mr. A. W. Grant, Mr

ANNUAL REPORT.

Crook and o hers.

Bertram Tanner, Mr. H. L. Garrett, Mr. A. 1

Dr. Bateson Wright read his report at abolish Class VII. and the depletion of the Upper School in 19.6 on account of the abpormal number of boys obtaining situations in that year. The result is a reduction in the daily average attendance from 1,005 to 991. In the latter half of the year, the numbers recovered their usual figures, and we have this mouth an exceptionally high attendance, 1,049, ie, 64 more than in January, 1907. There were 228 school-days, three being tost on the occasion of the commercial processions, when most schools in the Colony were closed as Ching:o masters and boys had relatives from the mainland whom they wished to entertain. ? he total gruss expenditure was 160,005, or \$4,863 more than in 19 6, the increase being due to the 2 rate for Exchange compensation ordered by th Becretary of State. The public paid one-half the years expenses of the College, and the cost of each boy to the public was \$30.81. The statistics in this paragraph merely show a reversion to the conditions of 1905.

The following changes on the staff took place during the year:-

1 April, Mr. Lai l'ui-yan appointed articled pupil teacher

30 April, Mr. Tsang Kun wa, clerk, resigned. i May, Mr. Wong Wai-shu appointed clerk 4 May, Mr. R. E. O. B rd, senior assistant naster, went on leave

20 Saptember, Mr. B. Tanner returned from

The drainage of the entire premises has been relaid, and a new masters! latrine provided; The riofs of two class sooms baye been repared, and the cubica content of the rooms considerably increased by the exposure of the raffers. It does not appear possible for the Public Works Department to effect alterations of such magnitude in our short vecations, (one. month each, in February and August). The consequent dislocation of school work is considerable, as we bave no spare room, in o' which to transfer the disturbed class. We are obliged to use the grand entrance lobby, which is entirely unsuited for educational to pay a final dividend of \$2.10 per share, purpose. In the case of classes of 60 boys, some two dozen have to be distributed among others section which are thereby overcrowded. On the 13th of Beplember a panic occurred in the east wing of the College, two or three hundred boys rushing downstairs, on account of a cry in the streets that Queen's College, was: falling. The origin of the scare-was, simple of the start enough. A piece of plaster fell from the ceils by ing in a class room, whereupon all the bors into the that room bolted. The wind blew the dust, into the adjoining room, where the boys mistake ing it for smoke shouted "Fire!" and jan. The peop'e in the street added to the excitement. In five minutes nider was restored and workresumed. It was discovered, however, that, one boy, in plarm, for his own safety, bad jump ed over the verandah, a d stance of 25 feet. He was conveyed to hospital and returned to school a month later To prevent the recurrence of such a panic, all plaster ceilings in

> twenty years and in many places are covered with patches. The manner make in the said to consider the The health of the College has been very; in! good, The chief causes of absence from sicks ness were beri-berigfiam whigh Chinesa anteno of pear to recover with astopishing case, and in scables, which often necessitates an absence signing of two or three months from school. Dr. Jordan and Dr. Grone were appointed by the Government to report on the condition of the govern eyes of the pupils of the College, They dis covered a very large propartion of the boys maser suffering from trachoma in various stages. I am pleased to by able to greport a very marked improvement in the success of our candidates at the Oxford Local Braminations, which were held last of uly for she twentieth time at this centre. The occasion was signal, ised by Mok Kal-fo k's daking third class, junior honours. This is the first time that a

classrooms a. d verandahs sliculd be removed.

This is the more necessary when we remember.

that these ceilings have been in sile fully

Queen's College boy hat obtained honours ... This year, I am happy to say, that all our sunformers took mathematics, passing along pic is arithmatical metic, comicio algebra, so patrio, segmetry dire and 9> p.c. in mensuration; also 4 out of 5 or 80 p.c. in trigonometry. All the preliminary took higher arithmetic and algebra, passing 10 a p.c in arithmetic, 75 in algebra and 50 in higher anthmetic. The mark good, pext to \$1,519,47 distinction, was awarded to instead of it times as last year feplor, fin Ecripture, Junior-60,007,00. 3 in arithmetic, I in Scriptorn it in also ben, 12 is geometry and (3 in managration. Trailent mary a partitional and a lattery and a second

the annual examination for prizes and promotions, held by me under standing orders from the Governing Body, are as follows :--

Upper "School .. soy boys examined erg or 94 % passed

The two previous annual percentages of passes are 81 in 1906, and 88 in 1905. Table shows the percentage of passes in each subject. I have not the slightest hesitation in assessing the work of 19 7 as excellent. I have invariably found, the results of the Cxford Local Examinations to provide a safe criterion of the work to be expected in the Upper School and this year is no exception. It will always happer, in Oxford and all other examinations, that some particular questions may appear easier in one year than another. It is also worthy of notice that such apparently easy questions frequently act as pitfalls to the unwary. It may, however, The great need of the College is a man who safely be promised, and I fear no contribution from my masters and boys, that the questions VA 018 instead of 843 and VI 958 instead of 8.4. I desire to invite particular attention of the Upper School in 1914 referred to above (par. 1). It was necessary for me in September to form a fourth section of Class III. Mr. Tanner, on his return from England, took charge of this section, IIID, which was composed of the boys in the various sections of Class IV, that obta nedhighest aggregates at my half-yearly examination in July Not a single boy failed and the general tone of the work was excellent, The promotion of boys from Class IV to III entailed promotions in all classes below. Reference in the figures in the preceding paragraph will show that while no class came out worse than last year, three, IVB., VA., and VB, attained a much higher figure Class IB that for many years has brine the unenviable reputation of being composed of dull, slow boys was observed by the class-masters and myself throughout the year to possess better of boys in the College electing education as a College at heart. (Applause). material than usual, and to be working in a satisfactory manner. The opinion thus formed in the first class were eager to be monitors at was amply justified the final result of the examination when 84 per cent, passed instead of have during the past eight years drawn our 55." Non-Chinese bays throughout the College have acquitted themselves above the average; the head boy of VA is a Japanese and of VB a. Filipino. I have addressed the classes on the weak points observable in their papers throughout the examination and therefore do not propose to dwell on matter , which, in view of the general excellence of the results, appear comparatively triding. For the first time in my experience the graphs in Classes I, II and III were excellently well done, and logarithms auccessfully employed by b ys in Class IA. Mathematics generally and srithmatic in parti- mar, geography, composition and translations cular showed great improvement. The important subjects of English grammar, reading,

conversation?" dictation, composition and history, and the allied subjects of translitions w re of a high order of ment. The mapdrawing from memory in Classes III , IV., V and VI were astonishing feats. A few boys in 11 A drew the southern counties of Eng and well; but the map of fieland proved too much for I.A.B. Hygiene was well taught to 736, boys, Mr. Sutherland being specially successful in teaching this subject to the boys of so low a standard as Class V.

With regard to special subjects, I find that the papers on physiology and natural science taught by Mr. Crouk to non-Chinese boys of the Upper School in lieu of translations, were better done than for many years past, notably so in the case of physiology. Trigonometry, taught by myrelf to a class that had dwindled down to 14 boys at time of examination, also had made progres, the seniors doing very well and the junious crediably. The Morrison scholar, Mok Kai-fook, florited every question on the senior paper losing few marks on matters of method. Model and freehand drawing taken by the second master, Mr. Dealy, to a larger class than usual gave evidence of talent and application. When I arrived in the Colony. 22nd of January, 1882, I immediately proceeded to hold the annual examination of the Central School, 367 boys 1.875 papers. This year I have examined 1,044 loys and personally corrected 8,888 parers: The fact that I mark all the papers myself-is not in any iense whatever a reflection on my staff, whose ubility to hold examinations curefully is amply attested twice a year at the mid-term examinations. .. I am actuated by the very simple and to me excellent reason, the maintenance of one standard in appraising the excellence and intelligence o the answeis thiblighiul this large College. ... is not because 'I-liv' any foolish claim to ompiscience or to infallibility, but because Believe the gain to the whole College incalculable, and the loss to the individual (in the event of a slip) infinitesimal. A very good Illustration of the wide divergence of views in assessing the same paper is afforded by the table of marks awarded by six masters (including myself) on the subject of composition in the first class. We none of us know the writer of a paper, libere is nothing but an index number provided for the occasion. The five I Ts and all the boys in both sections of the class ate thrown into hopeless disorder, a ker bolog kept by headmaster. The marks awarded to one paper werd 52, 70, 90, 90, 50, 6) and to aunther 70, 85, 96, 95, 64, 63. The following table may be of intirest, showing how the number of papers tinder review is arrived at: Class " F 72 boys 15 subjects 480 paper A LANGE BER 1071

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0.260 P Total s,044 Marked subjects of beyo purporty

Not Drawing. Special Subjects ... 114 Deduct E to C marks by second

Total marked by head-master 8,888 papers. We have a most excellent English staff. What is reered is for each master to specialise in some distinct branch. When I approached them by circular for the expression of their views in this direction, they showed a remarkable unanimity to their dealer to specialise on Geometry natural science; but as the Governing Body is opposed to the introduction of elementary Mensuration...... science into the carriculum, it behave the English masters to seek other channels for the General Intelligence vent of their energies. Mr. Grant has for years been practically mathematical master in Trigonometry Class I, also taking the subject of bookkeeping io Class II. I propose next month to make | Bookkeeping Mr. Crook quasi professor of geography; a subject in which he has distinguished himself. omitted reference to visual instruction. The will so devote himself to the subjects of English

tion, it must be remembered that in spite of the fact that the Government has very greatly increased the scale of salaries attached to these posts, we do not find the better educated class' profession. In the old days the f ghest-boys \$4 a month ! now with \$10 to 35 a month we future masters from bare passes in Class I and even from Class II. The Normal master, Mr. Ralphs, speaks very highly of the work done by the five pupil teachers in their five respective classes. My observation throughout the year. coables me to endurse that statement which is supported by the excellent results in Classes Vi and VII at the annual examination. Onthe other hand, the result of the pupil teachers' examination in a theoretical paper and in practical demonstration in front of a class, together with the subjects, arithmetic, dictation, gramfrom and into Chipese, can only be described

as a very qualified, success. Vernacular School. 7-7 boys were examined and 641 or 91 per cent. passed. 308 or 43 p.c. of the verpacular school are now in the highest class, Class 5. As only a dozen newly-admitted boys are fit for this class it is evident that great credit is due to the vernacular-masters for the high standard to which they have raised the native school in three years. .

The Reading and Cricket Clubs flourish. Gymnastic instruction, under Bombardier Wade, R.G.A., is very successful to small squads of 17, making a total of 85. Our football team has distinguished itself this year, by winning the H. K. Schools' Football League Shield, and fighting a well-contested game with the Empress of India Football team, winner of the Empress Competition Cup. Visits interchanged between the Q. C and Christian College (Canton) frotball tea is are a distinctly new departure, as there is no precedent on record of a Chinese football team leaving the maisland to play upon foreign shores. Q. C. was too strong for them; but it is hoped that better matches may take place in the future.

During the year 1907, 93 boys from Queen's College obtained situations: 9 in the H.K. Government service, 25 in local firms, 8 under the Chinese Government and St. in various parts. of the Far East. The above figures represent only these boys whose carees on leaving school are known to us. Many boys are employed in Government' and other offices without our knowledge, and it is impossible to say how many of the 89 boys who did not return after

vacations last year and were marked "Left," are so employed. . I have once again to express our most fervent sense of gratitude for the generosity of the public in supplementing the Government Grantiof \$200 for prizes. Without their aid we should be unable to provide 48 prizes for 24 English, and 15 prizes for 15 verascular classes; while special prizes for history and composition and special translations would be hopelessly impossible. We have no space for their names here, but they are annually posted at the College entrance, and are published; in the Yellow Drugen, the monthly organ of the College. Queen's College is hindered in an ambitious upward course by the following considerations; It is a day-school, so that all attempts to teach English conversation are necessarily confined to schoolhours and no supervision can be given to preparation of work. Again fully ongthird of the boys change annually, and this bas always been the case from time inmemorial: 4:0 boys leaving and 400 new boys being admitted each year is a serious obstacle in the way of obtaining a large and efficient upper school. In this connection it must be the world to assist in guiding the destinies of the grid, they playe the Hongkong Football chierved that there is no external system for China. Several, days ago be pald a Tippost 4 30 pm, on the Club's Ground and finding the upper school of Queen's College visit to the Viceroy of Canton and he was the the United Services. They are to be such as ex sts in Rogland: for the half-desto delighted to find that one of his princip b, ye from the Government District Schools are officials was an old Queen's College boy inst sight of when the number of seats available imaster. (400) in borne in mind. The lable below gratulatory remarks to D. Wright on should succeed in illustrating the slow but work, and a few mores to the boys Mandy program of Queen's College. Gradually behaviour, but Excellency reminded the purious to mad a tent.

the number of subjects has increased, and the increase in the number of scholars taking these aubjects is enormous

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Proceeding, Dr. Wright said that he had

Inspector of Schools placed No. 2 magic lantern at the disposal of the College on the grammar and composition as to be an authority 15th November. It did not reach the school set by me in 1907 were as searching, and as on these important subjects. Since the death until a fortnight later, leaving very little time severe tests of intelligence as in previous years, of Mr. Falconer (second master) twenty years for lectures, which was even further curtailed The head boys of most classes schieved the ago, we have had no master prominent for by the commercial procession and the Christman same aggregate as last year; but the following ability in this direction, and the want of such a holiday. Mr. Garrett was, therefore, able to give particular instances deserve notice : 11A 1,270 | man is urgently felt in a college teaching the only three ectutes to agood au lieuce. Dr. Wright instead of 1,124, Illa 1,132 instead of 942, Illa English language to students nearly all Chinese. said he attended the second lecture, and was 1,017 instead of 790, IVn 1,004 instead of 858. As regards the Chinese staff, we may also very much struck with the interesting nature congratulate the public on service faithfully of Mr. Garrett's lecture and particularly with and energetically performed. Of these eleven | the explanatory notes from local circumstances Chinese assistants, the four at the head of the The slides were evidently of a very superior list may without hesitation be at once classified | quality, but, unfortunately, the lantern was ou as excellent, and there are two or three promis- of order, and the light could not be called ing young masters below them. The great | brilliant. He hoped for better success in 1903. desideratum among the remainder is an He confessed, with a feeling of shame, that awakening to the fact that it is only by hard year after year he observed the number of private study that they can equip themselves | heads of colleges and schools attending the for the annually increasing demands made up- distribution of prizes at Q cen's College, yet on their store of knowledge, as teachers of a he was unab a to be present at the distribution language foreign to them. Year after year of prizes at other schools. He hoped they by the abolition of lower classes they are would accept his explanation that up to prisepromoted to the charge of higher classes, and day he was, without exaggeration, fied to his in many instances it would appear that they office. (Applause) . The speaker then welare hardly equal to the strain. " In this connec- comed his Excellency to the College, adding that he knew education formed an important part of his Excellency's policy and from his official correspondence he had made it quite clear that he had the best interest of Queen's

> THIS EXCELLENCY'S SPEECH. When 'the applause had subsided, his Excellency, who had been a very careful istener to every word, Dr. Bateson Wright uttered, addressed the gathering. He said that t a Colony should be proud to maintain such an institution as Queen's College, which was the largest Anglo-Chinese school in the British Emp're, and, he thought, the largest public, school in the whole empire. He had lately, when at the prize-distribution at Ellis Kadourie's School, referred to the status of public schools and had endeavoured to impress on the scholars the importance of that position. The boys of Queen's Collegea sch, of which had been established for forty

> years - his Excellency thought, knew what was meant by "public school" and also that infallible term. "Public School Form." He believ. el in school competition and hoped that would be mainteined in sport, as well as in work with other big schools in the Colony. There were two reports published during the year on Queen's College. C'ne was by the independent body of examiners and the other by the headmaster. The report of the in Jependent examiners was moderately satisfactory According to this report English and translation were good. The results of the geography examination were not so good, whilst hydiene only produced fair results. The headmaster's report, he considered, eminently satisfictory. The average attendance this year was not quite so good as that of last year, but this could be accounted for by the fact that quite a number of scholars had left school, and others promoted to higher forms. This year 94 boys passed in the examination as against 82 for the previous year. His Rxcellency agreed with the headmaster about the value of having the whole of the examination papers extimined by one person. This meant uniformity, and also that by Dr. Wright's long residence here the College secured the

benefit of having one examiner year in and year out, whose statistics can be nothing but reliable. The College showed great progress in the Oxford Local Examination and he congratulated masters and boys on the success. This year Mak Kai-fuk took honours in the Junior Division of the Oxford Local Examination. This was the first time in the history of ed to the compound to witness some symmetric Oucen's Gollege, with one exception, that & Chinese boy took such hon ours ... (Applause) That exception was one Chinese boy in St. ftephen's College. The headmaster, speaking generally, said that the work of the school was excellent, especially where mathematics was concerned. Sir Matthew Nathan when last at this College laid emphasis on this subject, for, he said at the time, Chica wanted engineers for her numerous railway undertakings. Speaking of the Evening Continuation Classes,

ing their studies after they had left school. College (107 last year, and 93 this year), his serves :- Messre, H. W. Sayer and W. Iron Excellency said that it meant a loss of promising pupiles but it should be the pride of

After addressing a few d

ladies, and gentlemen present that they were acting parties in the work of the British Empire, not only in a lucating the children in Hongkong, but in educating them to diffuse their knowledge on the frontiers. "If at any time there was a call on your purse for the revenue of the Colony remember that a great part of it is for education," he said. In conclusion, he hoped some day that Hongkong would become the contre of western learning in the Far East, and he also hoped to see the time when students would come to Hongkong to lake their dogrees. Those days were very far off, but as long as he was in Hongkong he would do his best to further education. (Applause). He wished the boys a pleasant holiday and a happy New Year (Loud app'huse).

The prixes were then distributed. THE PRIZE LIST.

The following scholars gained prizes :-Oxford Local Examinations: - Honours Junior) Third Class - r Mok Kai-fuk. Seniors .- 1 A. Arculi, A.A.

Juniors,-2 Chaung Hok-chau, 3 Tso Chakmin, 4 Woog Lam-cho. Preliminary .- 1 Clement Mok, 2 Yeung Ming-shim, 3 Tsang On-wing, 4. Wong Taicho, J. Hung Kwok-chi, 6 A. R. Samy, 7 J. M.

M. Remedios, & Loung lu-wing. Scholerships IA. Senior Morrison. Kai-fuk; Stewart, Wong Lam-cho; Senior Belilios, Wong Ping-chiu; Blake, Ng Shukkon; Wright, Tso Chak-min.

11A, Ho Tung, Ng Ka-pui. Ho Kam-tong, U Wing-tok.

IIIA. Junior Belilios, Tai Tung pui. Ro Fook, Wong Ping-on. IVA. Junior Morrison, Ip Yuk-fan. Alfred May, Chan Chenk-hoi.

Special Prize,-Machell Prize, Y. Abbas Pupil Teachers, Leung Wing-wai.

Translation: E. - C: and C. - E., Chaung lok-chau. History:-IA. Tsang Kun-sham, IB. Chan Kwan, HA. Tsu Chim-fog, HB. Ho Sik-fan,

IIIA, Young Pui-fung, B. Tsang Shui-ting, A. She Chu, D. Luk Shui-hi. Composition .- IA. Ivo Chun-yut, B. J. Exej kiel, Ila. Mok Ku-fun, B. Chan Lam-bing, Illa, Chau Kwok-ying, B. Wong Hon, C. Lo

Siu-hok, D. F. Gutierrez. Class Prizes.

IA .- Mok Kai-fuk. Cheung Hok-chau, Wong Lam-cho, Tao Chek-min, Yeung Chak-pak. 1B .- Pang Kam-wing, Li Lun-kwai. 11A. - Ng Ka-pul (Scholar), Fung Tax-king, U Wing-tok (Scholar), Mok Kiu-fan.

IIB .- Wong Po-kenng, Chan Un-chim. IIIA .- Tai; Tung-pui (Belilios S.), U Yik

IIIB. - Woog Ping-hon (Ho Fook S.), Ng Shin-hung, Wong Hon. IIIC,-Lau Chun-wo, La Shiu hok, 1/10,-Wong Ka-tsip, Chak Chiu-hang.

IVA -Ip Yun-fan, Fung Iu-wa, Wong Shiu-IVB,=1 Nx Shuki, 2 Sung Lui-mui. IVC .- t Chan U-chiu, a Yan Ki-chan. IVD .- F Lo Chiu-ming, 2 Ho Ling-fan. IVE .- t Ulling, 2 Tong Kun-shoung.

VA - I. Kato, 2 Yeung Shun-hang. VB, I M. F. Ubaldo, z Lau Wai-chi, VC-1 Chik Yam-kwong, 2 Wong Po-kai. VIJ -- t Cheng Fat, z Lo Yaung-tak. VE .- 1 Chau Fat, 2 Kwok So. VIA .- I Ng Ka yang 2 Tam Sik-hung.

VIB .- 1 Ho Sul-ming, 2 Lo Chuk-in. VIC - I Leung Ping-ki, 2 So Tsung-tsoi. VIIA.-Chiu Kang-ü; Chü Hin-loi. VIIB -Kwok Tsun, Wan Mau-hing. VIIC .- To Chak-wan, Au Yung.

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2C Chung Kwong-haVIIC This ended, Dr. Wright thanked his Excellency for his attendance and assured him that his advice would be followed. Cheen were, then called for and the gathering adjournexercises which were gone through by Chinese

Lo Tsuog-manVIIC

INTERPORT FOOTBALL. SHIELD COMPATITION.

The following term has been chosen by the Sel ctions Committee to represent, the Ho Ekong Football Club in their match against H.E. said they were not a portion of the school the A. Goy, Cameron Highlanders, in the first in Hongkong and the guardfoats in Kwangsi. but they were there to permit of boys continu. round of the Hongkong Football Club Shield and is is reported that these vestels will be all Competition on Saturday next, the 25th lust. Legati'y about the third moon of the coming year, They were opened last year at a cost of \$1,100. The game is to commence at 3 30 p.m. This and the Legislative Council had agreed to spend is owing to there being a Rugby match further a sum of \$8,000 this year on these classes, following, which is timed to start at 5 p.m. He hoped that the Institute would be the great [(Capt), H. L. Garrett. Half Backs :- J. Half, educating centre in the Colony and so enable F. Weall, A. Gregory, Forwardst-W. H boys to protecute their work and so obtain good | Williams, O. Regar, J. Mead, R. R. Turner, employment in the Colopy, China and elso- J. Wishert. Referee :- Mr. Whitehill where. As regards the number of boys leaving | "I.M.S. Kent. Linesman :- Major Brook, Re-

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e Hon, Secretary. Hongkong, 22nd January, 1908.:

> CANTON DAY BY DAY. RAILWAY DIRECTORBHIP.

[From Our Own Correspondent,]

. Canton, 21st January, It has already been reported that Mr. Lo Poshun had been elected, at the meeting of the board of directors of the Canton-Hankow Railway Company the other day, as vice-president of the Company in place of Mr. Wong Shin-ping, who resigned his post some time ago. Mr. Lo, however, at first declined to take up the appointment, as I did so only when the directors presented him for the third time the letter of appointment, yesterday. Now that he has consented, a telegram has been despatched to the Ministry of Communications and Posts (Yachuanpu) confirming the election.

- WEST RIVER PATROL. The Inspector-General of the Naval Forces of Kwangtung, H.E. Li Chun has now obtained. from the Canton high authorities, authority to build, in addition to the four light-draft cruisers that have already been ordered in Hongkong, another four light-draft steamlaunches and twenty odd guardboats to be, placed on the West River to secure an efficient patrol service in the waterways, These four proposed, launches will be ordered

COMPENSATION. With reference to the fireman who was severely, injured in falling into the treuch which were to be called the Technical Institute. Goal :- F. H. Kew. Backs :- E. F. Aucott Lopened by the Waterworks Company for the laying down of the water mains, as reported yesterday, the Company has now paid a sum of money as compensation to the injured man. The accident will be a warning to the Company, and it is to be hoped that there will be no obstructions to both pedestrians and others during the New Year holidays.

TRLIGRAPHIC TACILITIES, Telegraphic communications have now been installed between here and the district of Yun Ping by the Chinese Telegraph Administration. JUNKE PIRATED.

It is now reported that, on the rath instant, the systing of the Ath prox. and will pro- a number of junks carrying a large quantity of bably leave again for the North on the follow, cloth from the Interior to Pateban to be disposed of was pirated at Ying Sha Mel, wear The Canton Foundall Club advise that they Fatshan, vand goods to the value of pres Biggor were lakes away by the pursies.

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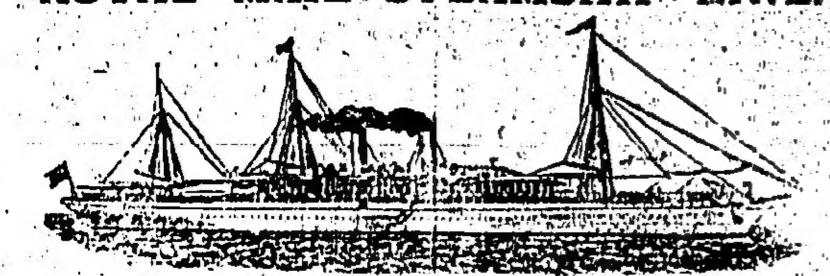
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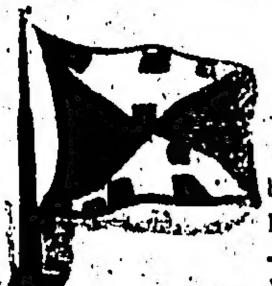
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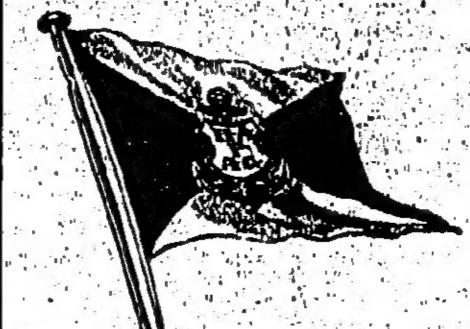
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Bream-Bin Yu. Canton Fresh Water Fish-Hoi Sin Yu Carp-Li Yu Cathsh-Chik Yu Codhsh-Man Ya.... Crabs-Hai Cuttle Fish-Muk Yu Dab-Sa Mang Yu Dace-Wong Mei Lun: are lit throughout by Electricity. Electric Fans Dog Fish-Tit Tu Sa Ecls, Congor-Hai Man Vu .. Fresh water-Tam Sul Yu

Yellow-Wong Sin Frogs-Tien Kai Garoupa-Sek Pan Gudgeon-Pak Kup Yu Harrings-Tso Pak Haliber-Cheung Kwan Yu

Labrus-Wong Fa Yu...... Loach-Wn Yn Lobsters-Lung Ha Mackerel-Ghi Yu Monk Fish-Mon Yu Mullet-Chai Yu Oysters-Sang Hoo Parrothsh-Kal Kung Yu Perch-Tau Loo Pike-Fa Paw Poong Pomfret, Black-Hak Chong. Pomfret, White-Pak Choog Prawns - Ming Hamman and the state of the st

Ray-Pel Pa Sa

Roach Chun Ys amore febresses appears

Salmon, (Cros) fresh water-Ma Yau

Rock Fish-Sek Kan Kong.

HONGRONG AVERAGE MARKET Shark-Sa Yu

Skate-Po Yu Shrimpe Ha Turties, small, fresh water-Rook Yu... White Bait-Ngan Yu Chai

FRUITS.

Apples, (California)-Kam San Fing (Chefoo)-Tin Chun Ping

Small-Hoi Tong..... Custard-Fan Lai Chi.....each

Bananas, fragrant, Canton-Sang Sheng Heung Chiu " (brides), Macao-San Heung Chiu " Chestnuts, Chinese-Foong Lut. Carambola-Yeung Tou Cocoanuts-Yeh Tereach Grapes-Sin Tai Taz Lemons, China-Ning Moong..... " Amer. -- Kum San Ning Moong,

Lichees, Small Stone-Lal Chi Con..... Fresh, Lai Chi Limes, (Salgon)—Sal Kung Ning Moongsach Mango, Manila-Lui Sung Mong..... Mango, Saigon-Sai Kung Moong Mangosteens, San Chuk Ter doz.

Oranges, Tim Chang Small-Tai Kutcatty Mandarin-Tim Kut Passion Fruit Pears, (American)-Kam San Shut Li fb

(Canton), Cooking-Sa Li (Shanghai)-Sheung Hoi Li Peanuts,-Fa Sang Persimmons, Large, -Hung Chie Pine-apples, 1st quality-Sheung Poon Ti Paw-law.each and cooking -Chung-tang

"Paw-law Plums, Swatow-Hung Lai Pumelo, Siam-Chim Lo Yaueach Walnuts, Hop Tou Green -Sang Hop Tou Shanghai'Lo Kwat

VEGETABLES, &C.

Artichokes, Shanghai,-Sheung Hot Ah Beans, (French) Macao-Oh Moon Pin

Beans, (French), Shanghai-Sheung Hoi Beans, Sprout-Ah Chol......4

Beans, Long-Tan Kok Beet Root-Hung Choi Tau..... each Brinjals, Green-Cheng Yuen Ker 28 Brinjals, Red-Hung Ker Brassica-Pak Choi.... Bamboo Shoots-Chook Shun Cabbage, Chinese, com.-Kai Choy..... Cabbage Root-Kai Lan Taueach Cabbage, (Shanghai)-Yeh Choi u Cane Shoots, bunch-Kau Shun Cauliflower, Large size-Tai Yeh Choi Facach

Cauliflower, Medium size-Cheung Yeh Choi-faeach Cauliflower, Small size-"Sai Yeh Choi-fa Catrots-Kam Shun Celery, Chinese-Tong Kan Choy

Colery, English-Young Kan Choi Colery, White-Pak Young Kan Chui... Chillies, Dried-Con Lat Chiu Red-Hung Fa Green-Cheng Lat Chiu Curry Stuff, English-Ka Lee Choi Liu Cucumbers-Cheng Kwa

Bitter Squash-Fu Kwa Garlic-Suen Tau..... Ginger, young-Sun Tes Keung Horse Radish, Shanghai-Lik Kan ... b 20 Indian Corn-Suk Maipiece Lettuce-Yeung Sang Choieach Water Chesnuts-Ma Tai

... Mandarin-Kwei Lum Ma Tar, Musk Melon Mushrooms, Fresh-Sang Cho Kho..... Onions, Bombay-Yeung Chung Tan ...

Green-Sang Chung Shai-Sheung Hoi Chung Tan . . . 5 Japan-Yat Poon Okroes -Mo Ker

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AGITATION IN THE UNITED STATES.

For the purpose of arousing enthusism and bringing every possible pressure to bear upon Congress in the interest of ship subsidy, the friends of a Government merchant marine gathered at Cleveland, Ohio, on the 21st ult. on the occasion of a meeting of the Merchant Marine League.' Speeches were delivered by prominent Senators and 'ongressmen. Nearly, every State and large business interests were represented.

It is believed that the obtaining of the pending mail subsidy would establish the general subsidy principle, which eventually will result on, 27th it st. in the Government giving support to marine

interests. Ex-Governor Herrick presided and Trumai H. Newberry, Assistant Secretary of the Navy. spoke in favour of subsidies. Referring to a report of Admiral Dewcy in 1905, that on the basis of strength of twenty-five battleships the Navy would require from the merchant marine in a serious war appreximately 100 yessels and many tugs, Mr. Newberry pointed out that the vessels, especially of the larger size, do not exist in sufficient numbers in the American mercantile marine. The present cruise of the United States battleship fleet, the speaker said, is giving sharp and unwelcome proof of this point. . All of the coal required by the fleet, except a small portion conveyed by regular Navy colliers, had to be entrusted to foreign "tramp" steamers, because there were not enough American steamships available, even though President Rosswell offered to pay American ships a rate of 50 per cent higher

than that given to foreign vessels. " William S. Green of Massachusetts, chairman of the merchant marine committee in the House of Representatives, said: "There is a great sentiment against ship subsidy in the central Western States simply because the people of that district do not understand the question. This must be a lack of education. We will never obtain's merchant marine until the people drive Congress to action."

W. E. Humphrey of Seattle, in an address upod " Why America is losing its Pacific and Oriental Trade," aroused the auditors to frequent applause... He explained what Congress was doing regarding a subsidy and what it is to do. He devoted most of his time to the condition upon the Pacific Ocean. He said there were now only eight American merchanimen upon the Pacific Ocean, whereas about a year ago there were about fifteen, and in the near future all will pass from the Pacific unless something is done by the Government.

"We have wasted our opportunities," he said, "and have wasted our time in talking about trade following the flag., Japan has taught us a valuable lesson. From practically every standpoint Japan's great victory over Russia in the late war was due to ship subsidy. Japan is gaining the mastery of the Pacific. I do not believe there will be war with Japan, and I will do all in my power to prevent it but if it should come I want my country to be pre-

"We are willing to subsidite our rivers and harbours and our railways, but not our merchant marine upon the high seas. I do not believe the people of this country are content to spend \$100,000,000 a year in the building of a great. Navy without providing for an auxiliary fleet. What will it avail us to have scores of vessels if we cannot man them?. We must have this auxiliary fleet of merchantman to not only draw our sailors from in time of need, but to attend our big fighting vessels. We cannot borrow vessels from other nations in time of war. The best measure of peace is always to be ready for war."

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Director of the Hongkong Observatory:-On the 27nd at 11.55 a .- The barometer has fallen slightly over Central Chine, and risen considerably to alightly over Japan and & China respectively.

The auticyclonic area still lies over China to the North of the Yangtte, but gradients are less steep along the coast.

Strong monsoon may be expected in the Formesa Channel and the China Sea. Hongkong Rainfall for the 24 hours ending at to a.m. to-day, 0.00 inches."

FORECAST. Hongkong and seighbourhood, N. E -wlads, fresh to moderate; cloudy, some drizz-

ling rain, and Formosa Chappel, N.R. winds, strong.

Korama, Aust, 4.s., 7,387, P. Gerestiamer, 19th Dec .- Novomersen / Bussen, (B.G.) 12th South coast of China between Hougkong Nov., Cement.-Order. and Lamocks, same as No. Kumamoto Maru, Jap. s.s., 1,235, Z. Baba, 18th The South coast of China between Hongkong Jan. Takao 16th Jan., Ballast. Crot ed Huidad, same or For

HILLING AND MAILS

Indian (Kumsang) agrd inst. English (Peninsular) 23rd inst., 7 p.m. German (Zielen) 28th inst. German (Rleist) ist prox., a.m.

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The s.s. Trinan left Sydney on 21st inst, and is due here on 14th prox. The s.s. Kashing left Shanghai on test inst. noon, and is due bere on 24th inst.

The P. M. S. S. Co.'s s.s. Mongolia arrived in San Francisco on 19th inst. The H. A. L. s.s. Slausais left Singapore on 21st institut 7 s.m., and may be expected here

The Imperial German Mail s.s. Klet & carrying the German Mails with dates from Berlin of the 1rd inst., left Colombo on aist inst., a.m., and may be expected here on 1st prox , a.m.

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erwent. Br. us., 1,556, J. Jenkins, 21st Jan., -Saigon 7th Jan., Rice, &c .- Chinese. iam, Dan. s.s. 2,367, Cortsen, 21st Jan ,-Kobe 14th Jan , Gen - M. & Co. Pilary, Ger. s s., 1,330, 1f. Uecken sand Jan, -Macassar tith Jan , Gen .- J. C. J. L.

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Taishun, Ch' s.s., 1,556, J. Stephen, 22nd Jan -Shanghai 19th Jan., Gen.-C. M. S. N. Kiang Ping, Ch. s.s., 1,222, H. Maden, 22nd

lan.,- anton 21st Jan., Gen.-Kwong Wo Sang, Br. s.s., 1,127, Meyrick, 22nd Jan, -Canton zist Jan , Gen .- B. & S.

Kinking, Br. s s., 1,227, H. A. Wavell, 32nd Jan.,-Canton aist Jan., Gen.-B. & S. Mandasan Maru, Jap. s.s., 4,551, P. Hallstrom, 22nd Jan., -Kutchinotau 17th Jan., Coal.-M. B. K.

Yetorofu Maru, Jap. a s., 4,161, K. Sato, 23nd Jang-Mojt 17th Jang Gen .- N. Y. K.

Clearances at the Harbour Office Cheangthing, for Canton. Holstein, for Haiphong. liciene, for Swalow. Kumano Maru, for Nagasaki. Yruna, for Kwong-chow-wan. Taishun, for Canion. Stam, for Salgon. Heliopolis; for Durban.

Departures

Kumano Marue for Japan. Hokata Maru, for Singapore. Telemachus, for Saigon. Glenfallich, for Amoy. Ragnar, for Saigon. Holstein, for Baiphong. Fukushu Maru, for Swatow. Shinshiu Maru, for Salgon: Cheoneshing, for Cipton. Luchow, for Capton. Catherine Apcar, for Calcutta. Heliopolis, for Durban.

Passongers arrived. Pet Pilianulek, from Bangkok, &c .- Messrs Möller and Birkenhough. Per Joshin Bluru, from Swatow-Miss Dr. Tribe, Miss Dr. Beath, and ice Chinese.

Passengers departed: Per Tosa Maru, for Ceattle, &c .- Mrs. Am broke, Messr., E. Hallows and Marco Reuber Per Oceanten, for Shanghai - Messrs. Pau Schiltho er, J. M. Forrester, A. L. M. Alves, I Den's, A. S. Johnson, Misses Mina Green, S. Grimbeae, Revs. P. P. Francois, Jubien, Gastre, P. Debourg, and Vr Gaia Eligio. For Yokohama-Rev. P. M. Ballet.

Per Salante, for Saigon-Mrs. Forbes and baby, Mr. F. Fielder, Revs. P. P. Fobert, Seiller, Bonnaud and Monnier, Mrs. F. Allen, M. Charles Guilbert, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bausher, Misses Mary Borden Dora Steiger, Abdala, De Becker, and Mr. Walter. For Singapore-Mr. and Mes Witthoefft, Miss Rains Ferckelstein and Dr. G. Leurink. For Hatavin-Messes. To Eng Tilong and E. Sutherland. For Fremantle -Messrs: Hi Ack and Lim Kwong. For Marseilles-Messis, Ravenet and Emile Bes du

Shipping Reports.

Str. Hilary, from Macassar :- Fine weather high N.E. monsoon

Str. Derwent, from Saigon :- Light winds, fine weather and smooth sea to within so miles. of Gap Id. thence to port fresh breeze and overcast misty weather.

VESSELS IN PORT

STEAMERP.

Amara, Br. s.s., 1,655, C.J. Mattock, roth Jan., -Shimonosoki sith Jan , Coal - J. M. &

America Mans, jap. s.s., 3,460, Philip H. Going, 15th Jan. - San Francisco 17th Jan., and Shanghai 12th Jan., Mails and Gen .- T.

Amigo, Ger. s.s., 822, N. J. Baltzer, 18th Jan., -Haiphong and Hoihow 17th Jan., Gen. Aughin, Ger. s.c., 1,001, Chr. Kümpel, 19th

Jan.,-Bangkok 12th Jan., Rice.-B. & S. Chihli, Br. s.s., 1,176, J. Watrack, 16th Jan,-Haiphong 13th Jan., and Hoihow 15th, Rice and Live Stock .- B. & R. Childer, Nor. s.s., 1,102, H. Nielsjau, 20 h

Jan.,-Bangkok 11th Jan., and Swatow 19th, Gen.-N. Y. K. Ching Wo, Br. as., 2,517, D. Maclean, and

Jan ingapore zoth Doc., Ballast .- B. & Empire, Br. ss., 2,843, P. T. Helms, 21st Jan, -Kobe igih Jan., Gen.-G, L. & Co.

Empress of Japan, Br. s.s., 3,039, Henry Pybus, R.N.R., 13th Jan., Vancouver 2.1h Dec, and Shanghai 11th Jan, Mails and Gen.-C. P. R. Co. Germania, Ger. s.s., 1,713, H. Lorenzen, 9th

Jan., "aiphong 7th Jan., Rice. J. & Co. Haitan, Br. s.s., 1,183, J. S. Roach, 15th Jan., -Foochow fath Jang Amoy 13th, and Swatow 14th, Gen .- D., L. & Co. Hercules, Nor. s s. 2,439, Bjerck, 23rd Dec. -Tacoma and Mororan 11th Dec., Wheat

Hulchow, Br. s.s. 1,217, E. Forsyth, 11 Jan., -- Halphong 9th Jan., Rice. -- B. & S. Kalfong, Br. s.s., 984, Mathias, 19th Jan.,-Cobu and Iloilo 15th Jan., Sugar. -- B. &

Khalif, Br. s.s., 3,807, C. A. Watte, 26th Dec. -New York, U.NA., 31st. Oct , Case Of

Monteagle, Br. a.s., 6, t63, S. Robinson, R.W.R. roth Jan. Vancouver 15th Dec., and Shanghai 7th Jan., Mails and Gen. - C. P. Nikko Maru, Jap. s.s., 3,434, T. L. Harrison, arst Jan .- Nagasaki 17th Jan., Gen .- N.

Nord, Nor., s.s., 735, Haroldsen, 14th Jan. Tourson Tith Jan, Rice and Salt. Asgard, Thoresen & Co. Onsang, Br. s.s., 1,787, R. Cox, 17th Jan.,

Java 5th Jan., Sugar.-J., M. & Co. Ovid, Br. a.s. 2,686, Cubitt, 18th Jan - Moji 2th Jan., Coal.-B. & Co. Persia, Br. s.s. 2,744, A. Dixon, 11th Jan. San Francisco 7th Dec., and Portland, Or.

15th, Flour -O. & O S. S. Co. Powhatan, Br. s.s., 7,640, W. T. Turner, 14th Jan .- Moji 8th Jan .. Coal .- D. & Co., I d. Prior Waldemar, Ger. s.s., 1,737, W. . van Senden, 15th Jan .- Manila 13th Jan.,

Gen -- M. & Co.

Samsen, Ger. s.s., 998, F. Schmitz, 17th Jan., -Bangkok via Swatow 6th Jan., Gen.-B. exta, Ger. s.s., 972, Desler, 6th Jan,-Singapore 18th Dec., Gen.—S. & Co.

Shinshu Maru, Jap. s.s., 2,4 9, K. Nagata, 17th Jan,-Moji 11th Jan., Coal.-Fukusei & iberia, Am. s.s., 5,055, A. Zeeder, 21st Jan -San Francisco 24th Dec., and Shanghai 18th Jan., Mails and Gen -P. M. S S.

Singan, Br. s.s., 1,04", F. Jamieson, 20th Jan., -Haiphong and Holhow 19th Jan , Rice and Live Stock .- B & S. Standard, Nor. s.s., 894, H. N. Bull, 13th Jan. -Cebu (Philippine Islands) 8th Jan.,

Ballast,-Wallem & Co. Suisang, Br. s.s., 1,785, W. D. Welsh, 19th Jan.,-Hongay 17th Jan, Coal.-J., M. & Wongkoi, Br. s.s., 1,13 . W. Reher, 17th Jan.,

Yuensang, Br. s.s., 1,128, Rolfe, 20th Jan.,-Manila 17th Jan., Gen .- J., M. & Co. Zasico, Br. s.s., 1,629, R. Rodger, 20th Jan.,-Manila 18th Jan . Hemp .- S., T. & Co.

-Holhow 16th Jan., Rice and Meal. -B.

Steamers Expe fad.

'Agents -Vessels From Peninsular......Singapore . P. & O. Co. Jan. 23 Kumsang Singapore . [., M. & Collan. 2 Choysang hanghai... J., M. & Collan. 23 Sanuki Maru ... Singapore N. Y. K. .: Jan. 23 Numantia Kobe P. & A. Collan... 24 Tilliwong Macassar... J. C. J. L.. lian. 2. Hopeh Haiphong. B & S Jan. 2 Chingin Kobe B. & S.)an. 2 I henania Singapore .. H. A. L. ... Jan. 2 hipano Maru. Japan N. Y. K.... Iro. Slav nia Singapore H. A. L. .. Jan. Kleist Colombo ... M. & Co .. Feb. Changiha Sydney ... B. & S Feb. P. Sigismund .. Sydney ... M & Co ... cb.

CHINA COAST METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER. January 21st, 19:8 a.m. Bar, Th. Hu. Wind Wr. 'iadiyostock.iz a.m.l NW 6 -Hakodate Tokio NW Kochi NW 6 -

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A Mail will close for :-Bangkok-Per Wongkol, 23rd Jan. 11 A.M. Swatow and Shanghal-Per Wosang, 23rd

an, 11 A.M. w Macao-Per Sui Tai, 23rd Jan., 1.15 P.M. Singapore and Sourabaya-Per Onsang, 23rd 12n. 2. P.M.

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	National Bank of China, Limited	UQ,Q25	£7	4 6	{ \$300,000}	\$71.a 3	\$2 'London 3/61 'or 19/13		Sc:
4	MARINE INSURANCES. Capton Insurance Office, Limited	10,000	, i ¹ 250	\$50	\$1,560,000 \$219,058 \$431,959	none	520 101 14.6	81	524;
	North China Insurance Company, Limited	10,000	£15	Ls	{ 125,000 } Tis. 100,000 } Tis. 48,942 }	Tis. 204 4 4	{ Final of 7/6 per share making in all rs/-}	6 4	Tis. 87] sellers
	Union Insurance Society of Canton, Limited	12 400	"F250°	\$100	\$5,000,000 £70,000 \$456,407 £125,137,15/-	1:4604 0	Final of fix making \$42 for the and } interim of a single state of the single state of	5.7	1827) sales
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1	Hongkong Fire Insurance Company, Limited	8,000	1250	\$50	\$1,256,483	F435,236	\$40 lm 1905	12 X	-5335
	China and Manila Steamship Company, Limited Douglas Steamship Company, Limited		\$25° \$50	\$25 \$50	\$7,000 \$264,638} \$96,988} \$250,000	F365 Vil.	\$4 or year en ing 30. 1 107	4.	\$15 \$40
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-	Shanghai Tug and Lighter Company, Limited	100,000	Tis. 50	L	Tis. 54,372 {	1.16, 13,327	Interim of Tis. 12 for account 1907	41 %	Tis. 47] sellers Tis. 50 sellers 44/-
	Star Ferry Company, Limited	£ ***	\$10 \$10	\$10" \$5	\$65,000 } \$32,957 } Tis, 98,000	1137	{\$1.00} for year ending 10.1.1907		\$24 bayers \$12 bayers
	Taku Tug and Lighter Company, Limited	17,000	fls, 50	1 (0	Tis. 62,000 }	18 730	Final of Tis: 2 making Tis, 6 for 1906	-12 X	Tis. 47 sellers
4	China Sugar Refining Company, Limited		, too	100	*450,000	19,218	>8 for year ending 31.12.06	71.2	\$1c9
	Luzon Sugar Refining Company, Limited Perak Sugar Cultivation Company, Limited	7,000	froo . He; 50	F100 F1s. 50	none fig. 100,000	18, 8,935	Tis. 4 (8 %) for your ending 31.8.06	111	S12 buyers Tis. 80
	MINING. Chipese Engineering and Mining Company, Ld	1,000,000	L	£ı	{	411,556	Final of 1/6 (No. 9) for 1907	F 7	Tis. 15 buyers
	Raub Australian Gold Mining Company, Limited {	7 50,000 70,000	2: 2:	17/10 £1	£84.399 \$	/11,550	No. 12 of 1/e=48 cents		\$84
• 9	DOCKS, WHARVES & GODOWNS. Fenwick (Geo.) & Co., Limited	118,000	\$25	\$25	:64,124	10,335	\$1.75 for year ending 31.12.06	124-1	-515
	Hongkong & Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ld	10,000	€¢0	· ro	{	10,335	Interim of \$2 for six months ending June }	61 %	15.555 old
÷	Hongkong and Whampon Dock Company, Ld.	20,000	\$50° \$50	fço	\$100,000 }	1491,580	30th (007	81 X	\$96 buyers
•	Shanghai Dock and Engineering Co., Ld		- 1	Fis. 100.	Tis. 487,210	15, 10,459	Interim of Tis. 21 for six months ending	4 %	Tis. 73% ex div
13.18 19.	LANDS, HOTELS & BUILDINGS.				Tis. 75,000		Interim of Tis. 8 for account 1997	-17	- Julyen
	Anglo-French Land Investment Co., Ld	10,000	Tis, 100 \$25 \$15	Tis. 100 \$25 \$15	\$1,000	\$10,908	Tis. 6 for 141 months ending 28.207	44.7	Tis. 100 \$20 sellers \$14 buyers
30 s	Hongkong Hotel Company, Limited	\$0,000 10,000	\$15a \$10a	\$15 \$50 \$100	\$648,975} 36,075} \$250,000	\$10,925	\$1.80 for 1906	71 X	\$14 buyers \$104 buyers \$100 buyers
	Hongkong Land investment and Agency Co., Ld Humphreys Estate & Finance Company, Limited Kowloon Land and Building Company, Limited	150,000	\$100 \$10	\$100 \$10	\$208,386 } \$50,000 } none	\$1,089	80 cents for 1906	71 X	\$100 buyers \$100 buyers \$35 sellers
1	Shanghai Land Investment Company, Limited West Point Building Company, Limited	78,000		1	Tis. 869,493 } Tis. 170,000 }	Tis. 61,978	Interim of \$2 for half year ending lune soul	., 7 1 %	Tls. 103 buyer
•	COTTON MILLS.				f Tis. (50,000)	f1,519	Interim of \$2 for half year ending June 30th		Sço sales
· ·	Ewo Cotton Spinning and Weaving Company, Ld Hongkong Cotton Spinning, Weaving and Dyeing Company, Limited	1 *5,000 ;	\$10	\$10	\$60,000	\$14,269	Tis. 2) or year ended 31.10.19.7	·: 5 X' →	
	International Cotton Manufacturing Company, L.L., Laou-kung-mow Cotton Spinning & Weaving Co., Ld. Soy Chee Cotton Spinning Company, Limited	8,000	Tis. 75 Fis. 100 Tis. 500	Tis. 75 Tis. 200 Tis. 500	Tis. 150,000 none T s. 28,257	Tis. 85:519 Tis. 32,469 Tis. 50.661	Tis. 6 for year ended 30.9.00 (8 %)		Tis. 52 buyers Tis. 65 buyers Tis. 270
	MISCELLANEOUS. Bell's Asbestos Eastern Agency, Limited	8.604				Tis. 50,663	Tis. 50 for 1906	***	Tis. 270
	Campbell, Moore & Co., Limited	1,200 (0,000	12/6 \$10 \$12 Tls, 50	12/6 \$10 \$12 Tis, 50	71,299 59,000 none Tis, 50,000	£638 \$653 Nil.	1/3 per share for 1906		\$76 \$10 buyers \$10} Tis. 58 sellers
e*1	China Flour Mill Co., Limited	\$0,000	Tis, 50 \$10}. \$1 \$	Tis. 50	Tis. 50,000 none	Tis. 889 \$25,000	Final of Tis. 5 making Tis. 10 for 1905 60 cents for year ended 28.2.06	401	Tis. 58 sellers
٠	Dairy Farm Company, Limited	25,000	574	56	\$115,000 \$5,000} \$5,000	\$855 \$2,974	St.30 for year ending 31.7.07	71 %	\$17 \$17
	Hall & Holtz; Limited	21,000	\$10 \$20 \$10	\$10 \$20 \$10	\$11,000	\$10,804 \$15,002	Interim of 50 cents per share for a/c 1907 \$2\frac{1}{2}\$ for year ending 28.2.07	111 %	Srie Suyers
	Hongkong Ice Company, Limited		\$10 \$25 \$10	\$10 \$25 \$10	5105,000 \$65,000	\$2,953 \$4,361 \$4,212	Interim of \$4 for 1-year ending 28.2.07	61 % 7 91 %	\$15 \$240 \$25
*	Maatschappij tot Mijn-, Bosch- en Landbouwex-) ploitatie in Langkat, Limited	25,000 25,000	GL 100	Gr. 100	{ Tis. 547,500 } Tis. 27,003 }	54,312	Interim of 80 cents per share for a/c 1907	9 %	Tla. 365 buyers 513 52
	Peak Tramways Company (new)	\$0,000 07,500 24,000	\$10 \$10 Tia. 50	\$15	none Tis. 100,000	Dr. P. 34.324	None		
	Shanghai Horse Bazaar Co., Ld	5,400	Tis. so	• 1	Tis. 67,323 Tis. 45,000}	Tis. 7,990 Tis. 9,751 Tis. 3,354	Tis, 4 for 1905	. 44 994	Tis. 45 buyers Tis. 62 buyers
9	Shanghai-Sumatra Tobacco Company, Limited	30,000	Tis, 20	Tis. 20	Tis. 8,000 } { Tis. 24,820 } { Tis. 50,000 }	Tls. 3,354 Tb. 7,843	Interim of Tla. 5 for a/c 1907	81 %	Tis, 126 sellers
٠.	Shanghai Waterworks Company, Limited	6,000	£20 525 5 5	£20 \$25 \$15	Tis. 190,000 tions sons	Tla. 85,592 Dr. \$41,934	Interim of 15/- for account 1907 (old) } Interim of 11/3 for account 1907 (olw) } None 40 cents for year ending 31.5197	61 %	Tis. 350 buyers 120 sales 16 sellers
	Tientsin Waterworks Company, Limited	2,000 \$0,000	\$ 5 Cla, 100 \$10		fis. 15,295 } Tis. 4,000 }	5478	Tis. 64 for year anding 30.4.07	1 11	Tis. 97
	United Asbestos Oriental Agency, Limited	10,000	\$10 \$10	\$4 \$10	\$35,000 \$ 5300,000}	\$1,360	{So cents on 9,900 ord. shares and \$19.80 on } 100 Founders shares for yr. end. 31.5.07}	8.%	Site
	William Powell, Limited		110	\$10 Ho	125,000 }	\$5,482 \$41	Interim of 30 cents for account 1907	61.2	Stoj buyers SS buyers
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THE Steamship

"ARCADIA,"

Captain A. L. Valentini, carrying His Majesty's Mails, will be despatched from this
for BOMBAY, &c., on SATURDAY, the 25th
January, at Noon, taking Passengers and
Cargo for the above Ports, in connection with

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17th Mar. the Company's S.S. Victoria, 7,000 tons, from Colombo, Passengers' accommodation in which vessel is secured before departure from Hongkong.

Silk and Valuables, all Cargo for France, and Tea for London (under arrangement) will be transhipped at Colombo into the Mail steamer proceeding direct to Marseilles and London, other Cargo for London, &c., will be conveyed from Bombay by the R.M.S. Oriental, due in London on 7th March, 1908.

Parcels will be received at this Office until 4 P.M. the day before sailing. The Contents and Value of all Packages are required. Edr further Particulars, apply to

E. A. HEWETT,

Superintendent. Hongkong, 11th January, 1908,

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The B.B. "YARRA,"
Captain Sellier, will be despatched for MARSEILLES on TUESDAY, the 4th February, 1908, at 1 P.M.

This Steamer connects at Colombo with the Australian line sis. Assiraises bound for Marseilles wie Bombay and Aden.

Passage tickets and through Bills of Lading issued for above ports. Cargo also booked for principal places in

J. MILLET, Agent Hongkong, 22nd January, 1908.

THE AMERICAN AND ORIENTAL LINE.

FOR BALTIMORE AND NEW YORK (With liberty to call at Malabar Coast).

THE Steamship

Captain Thompson, will leave for the above Ponts, on or about SATURDAY, 25th January, 1908.

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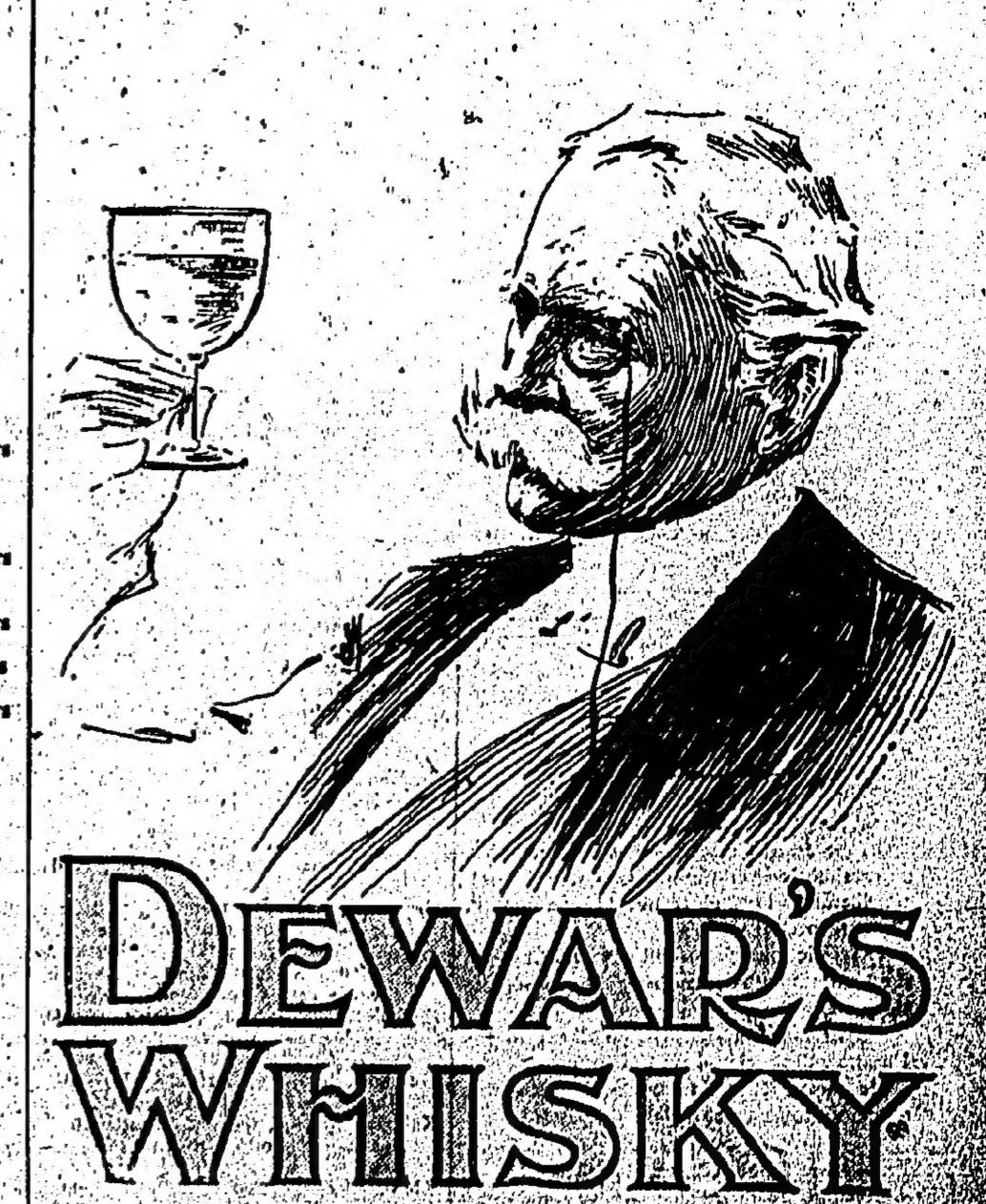


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